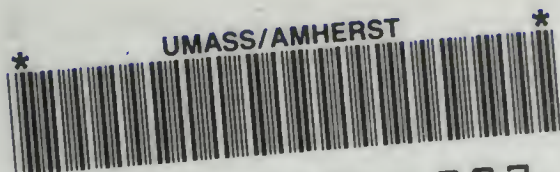


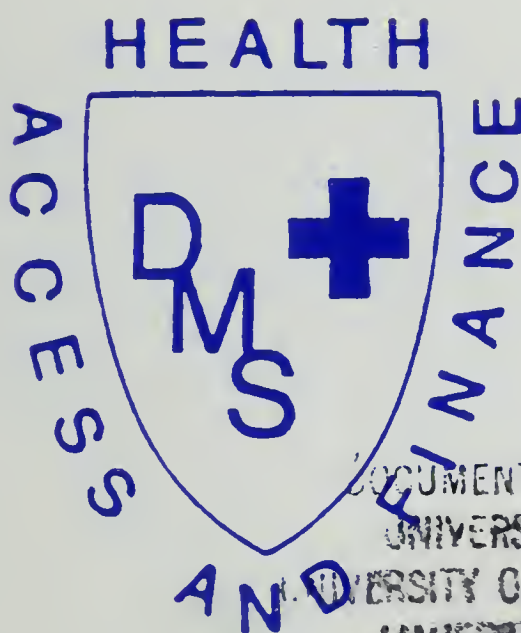
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DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAL SECURITY

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The Children's Medical Security Plan (CMSP) is an insurance program for Massachusetts children from infancy through age twelve. Premiums are on a sliding fee scale; depending on your household income, you may qualify to receive the insurance at a reduced rate.

CMSP is offered by the Department of Medical Security and is administered by John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company and Community Health Plan (in Berkshire, Franklin and Hampshire counties only).

## **Benefits**

Benefits with no co-payment include:

- routine well-child check-ups
- immunizations
- medically necessary eye exams
- smoking prevention information and materials for parents and children

Benefits with a co-payment include:

- doctor visits when a child is sick or hurt
- hearing tests
- lab tests, x-rays and other diagnostic tests
- emergency care (up to \$1,000 per child per year)
- specialty consultations ordered by the child's doctor
- outpatient mental health care ordered by the child's doctor (up to thirteen visits per child per year)
- outpatient surgery for inguinal hernia or inserting ear tubes, including anesthesia
- durable medical equipment such as inhalers (up to \$200 per child per year).

CMSP covers generic and brand name prescription medicines up to \$100 per child per year at retail price. The amount you will pay after reimbursement is \$3 for generic and \$4 for brand name drugs.

### **Eligibility**

Any child age twelve or under, except those already enrolled in the Medicaid program is eligible.

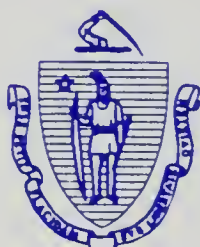
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